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14 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
15 **FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

16 JEAN RIKER,

17 Plaintiff,

18 v.

19 FRIENDLY CAB COMPANY, INC;  
20 FRIENDLY TRANSPORTATION dba  
21 FRIENDLY CAB COMPANY; BALJIT  
22 SINGH; SURINDER K. SINGH; KEVIN  
23 ITO; JOHN DOE 1; and DOES 2-10,  
24 Inclusive,

25 Defendant.

No. 3:07-cv-04616-EDL

**CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
ELIZABETH D. LAPORTE**

Action Filed: September 6, 2007

1 CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE:

2 In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the  
3 undersigned party hereby voluntarily consents to have United States Magistrate Judge  
4 Elizabeth D. Laporte conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial,  
5 and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly  
6 to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

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8 DATED: March 17, 2008

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